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AUTOMATED MATERIAL HANDLING SYSTEMS

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In response to the Notice of Allowance, dated June 22, 2004, please amend the application as follows: